

Colt's Start First Real Practice Preparing For Season's Opening

REAL PRACTICE WORK BEGINS AT BALL YARD

Grif Has Eighteen Hopefuls Out—Hardest Job Is to Keep Youngsters From Overexertion. Trying to Whip Team Into Shape for Game To-Morrow.

BY GUS MALBERT.

It began to look like a training camp yesterday when the new ball yard was opened. The new owner was one named Ward, from the wilds of Idaho. He is something of a volunteer, having never appeared on the roster of the club's secretary. But he drifted this way and asked that he be given an opportunity to show his goods, and Grif, being an accommodating sort of individual, furnished him with a monkey suit and let him go to it.

Fully four hours of hard work were put in by the hopefuls. The menu started with a few tosses from the pitchers to the waiting batsmen. After this came the entire of baserunning and then came a sort of after-dinner piece. The finish found the men at the several corners to which they aspire, with Grif hitting to the infield and the pitchers taking turns hitting to the outfield.

John Riley was on first, and the fact that it was his first day out seemed to have little effect on his ability to show his paper. Grif, the leading first baseman of the league last season. The same was true of Harris at second, Doc Newton at short and Connie Bresnahan at third. Instead of having to urge his charges Grif was continually at it telling them to ease up a bit. They all cut loose, veterans and youngsters alike, and it was the fear of stiff joints and sore arms that made Steve issue the storm warnings.

Ducky Eberts was in right field and gave evidence of why he scored nine-ty-nine runs last year and stole fifty bases. He is the fastest little man around here in years, and can cover everything from second base to the right-field fence. He proved it yesterday. In center was Tennant, with Piez and Ward sharing the left station. While there was enough zest in the practice work, and while evidence was given that Grif has a fighting clan to represent Colville this season, it is far too early in the game to make criticism. The diamond for one thing, is not in the best possible shape, and this, in a measure, will keep speedy work down until the fellows can get the lay of the land. There are some mighty nasty holes in every part of the infield, and unless the bumps are raised before the season begins, a great many chances will be lost. This is not a criticism, merely a warning.

None of the pitchers was allowed to show anything. They were just lobbing the ball over, with Lusky and Mace doing the receiving. Jay Rogers

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WAKE FOREST IS REJOICING

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Wake Forest, N. C., March 25.—Last night and today the campus was the scene of the greatest celebration in the history of the college. Although last year the honors were divided with A. & M. in baseball, the third game being called off on account of rain, yesterday was the first time in seven years that the old Gold and Black has triumphed over the Red and White on Easter Monday. This event, coupled with the triumph of the Wake Forest debaters over the representatives of Baylor University last night, thus preserving the Baptists' proud record of never having lost a series of debates, gave the students abundant cause for rejoicing. While practically all of the men were on classes to-day, they were, in most instances, disguised immediately. The chapel service was abandoned to-day, and the entire student body was on hand to meet the victors, who arrived on the noon train. Roland S. Pruett and J. S. Brown, whose eloquence triumphed over the sons of the Lone Star State, together with the members of the team, were drawn through the campus by the students in wagons to Memorial Hall, where all joined in the celebration which followed. The students were carried away by their triumph.

DAHLEN'S TEAM BESTS DAUBERT'S

Augusta, Ga., March 25.—Under propitious skies, Manager Dahlen's team of the Superbas today defeated Captain Daubert's nine by a score of 5 to 4. The batteries for Dahlen were Vining and Irwin, while Daubert, Rucker, Curtis and Miller. Wagner and Vining held Daubert's men to four hits, while being mainly responsible for the run-getting on both sides.

NAPOLÉON RUCKER



Claude Cooper, the recruit outfielder of the New York Giants, whom Manager McGraw has assured that he will be permanently engaged. Cooper's hitting has been timely, his work on the bases unsurpassed; he has shown lightning speed in the outfield, and his throwing arm equals that of any major leaguer.

FRAZIER WHITE LEADS RIDERS

Arvonia, Va., March 25.—A tournament of skillful riding and much enthusiasm was held yesterday, Easter Monday, at Abram's Store, midway between Arvonia and New Canton. A great crowd, comprising practically all citizens of both towns as well as many others from elsewhere, being the interested spectators.

Frazier White of Fork Union, got the first prize. After White of New Canton, the second prize, and Fontaine Fugate of New Canton, the third prize. Others who rode were Reuben Hudgens of New Canton; William H. Ranson of Brems Bluff; Ernest Ayres of Pennington; Berry LeBeau of Ore Bank; and Frank Irving LeBeau of Ore Bank.

The only mishap of the day occurred when Black Hawk, the fiery mare of Reuben Hudgens, in passing the last stringer for the last time, became untidy and threw Berry LeBeau from the saddle, badly spraining his arm. A physician was immediately at hand and rendered the necessary surgical aid.

The coronation was held in the Honey-suckle School building. New Canton, last night, a dance following, which lasted until the early hours. Fontaine Fugate, crown- ing a Miss Frances Briggs of Scottsville, queen. Howard Ranson of Brems Bluff, crowned Miss Anne Holman of Brems Bluff. First maid of honor, and Miss Elizabeth Cloud, of Sweetwater College, was crowned second maid of honor. A large number of young people from New Canton and Brems Bluff attended the dance.

HEAVY BATTING BRINGS VICTORY

Raleigh, N. C., March 25.—The Philadelphia Nationals easily defeated the Raleigh team of the Carolina League by a 5 to 1 score. While the locals put up a good fight, the heavy batting of the big leaguers was too much for them.

Earl Mark, son of Connie Mark, of the Philadelphia Americans is manager of the Raleigh team.

ZIMMERMAN HAS FIGHT WITH UMP'S

Heinie Receives Jolt in Jaw From Indicator Handler—Nashville Wins.

Nashville, Tenn., March 25.—Nashville defeated the Chicago Cubs to-day by the score of 3 to 1. The game was featured by a fist fight between Empire Williams and Heinie Zimmerman in the first inning, after the third baseman had been ordered off the field. In the midst of a dispute Williams hit Zimmerman on the jaw and the two clinched, but were separated. The umpire declared that Zimmerman called him a vile name. Both were arrested and taken to the station after the game, where they gave bond.

Nashville touched Richie and Lay-ender for eight hits, while the Cubs were held to six singles, two of which came in the ninth, when their only run was scored. James, with a double and triple in three times at bat, led the hitters.

WILLIAM AND MARY WINS BOTH GAMES

Williamsburg, Va., March 25.—William and Mary opened her baseball season here Saturday by defeating the fast McGuire's team by a score of 6 to 0. Shiers, the diminutive twirler for the locals, allowed but three hits, while the team played errorless ball.

Score by innings: R H E
W. and M. 2 11 2 0 0 0 0 6 10 0
McGuire's 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 4

Batteries: W. & M., Shiers and Zimmerman; McGuire's, Hammond and Craven. Umpires—Savage and Graves.

Ministers Envy.

After defeating McGuire's, the team had little difficulty in defeating the Union Theological Seminary in a game held here yesterday, by the score of 5 to 2. Addington proved to be almost invincible when men were on bases. The features of the game were the batting of Garth, Games and Addison and the fielding of Jones and Lancaster.

KESWICK HUNT IS ENJOYABLE

Keswick, Va., March 25.—The run of the Keswick Hunt on Saturday was most enjoyable. The going was fine and there was quite a large field out to meet Mr. Morris, M. F. The finish was at "Covetfield," where the hunters and their friends were most delightfully entertained by Mrs. Grace Russell. The enjoyment of the afternoon was greatly enhanced by the high-spirited music rendered by Arthur Nevill, Mrs. Russell and Miss Garth. Refreshments were served.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Julian Morris, Mrs. and Mrs. George Haughton, Mrs. Pitts, Mr. and Mrs. Nevill, Misses Garth, Mr. Jones, Robert Jackson, Mr. Balz, Mr. Boone, Dr. and Mrs. Thurman, Miss Lewis, Miss Fenn, Mr. and Mrs. Joslin, Mrs. Randolph, Miss Perkins, Mrs. Moore, Mr. Berger, Mr. Greenough, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph, Mrs. Shields and others.

HAMPDEN-SIDNEY BEATS TRINITY

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Hampden-Sidney, Va., March 25.—In a six-inning game to-day Hampden-Sidney defeated Trinity by the score of 2 to 1. Trinity took the lead in the first inning on a base on balls, a sacrifice hit and a sacrifice fly. In the fourth Hampden-Sidney took the lead on a sacrifice by Huggs, who reached second, and on Carrington's clean hit Wool scored. Carrington scored on Yeary's hit. Despite the wind the game was very fast and exciting. Trinity found Yeary very hard to hit, landing only five hits off of him.

Score by innings: R H E
Hampden-Sidney 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 3
Trinity 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 2

Batteries: For Trinity, Beardsley, Warner and Lheureux; Hampden-Sidney, Yeary, Moore and Frey. Hits: Off Yeary, 1; off Beardsley, 3; off Warner, 1. Struck out—By Yeary, 2; by Moore, 1. First base on balls—Off Warner, 1; off Yeary, 2. Double play—Lambert (unassisted) to Hamilton to Wellington. Empire, Mr. Paul, of Falmville, Ga. called for visitors to catch train.

WASHINGTON & LEE WINS CLOSE BATTLE

Even Score With Penn State in Eleven-Inning Game. Both Teams Play Well, and Many Sensations Are Sprung.

Lexington, Va., March 25.—In an exciting eleven-inning contest Washington and Lee defeated Penn State, 4 to 3, and evened up on the series.

In the eleventh inning Donahue drove a hard one through short and was advanced to second on Harrison's single, and immediately stole third.

Two more.

Penn State made two in the sixth and tied the score in the seventh, when Harrison let Miller's single get by.

Keller for Penn State was the star of the game, accepting nine chances and registering the only stolen base.

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Colville, 3b. 4 0 0 1 1 1 1

Lancaster, 2b. 4 0 0 1 3 1 1

Peoples, 1b. 4 1 1 5 1 0 1

Turkhill, lf. 4 1 1 5 1 0 1

Larick, p. 4 0 2 1 1 0 0

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Unger, c. 3 0 0 2 0 0 0

Henderson, p. 4 0 1 6 4 0 0

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Score by innings: 1 0 0 0 0 0 1 4

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